

PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 04853.0137

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Kei TASHIRO et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1796
	)	
Application No.: 10/591,231	)	Examiner: David J. Buttner
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Filed: August 31, 2006	)	
	)	Confirmation No.: 9331
For: NOVEL POLYMER COMPOUNDS	)	
AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING	)	
SAME	)	

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action of November 5, 2009, and the Advisory Action of February 18, 2010. A fee of \$130.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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